

CAMP LAKESIDE HISTORY TIMELINE

- 1916 Settler's Cabin built by Romeo and Evelyn Cole
- 1944 Scott City UMC raised \$1200 and bought lots on east side of the lake
- 1945 Camp Development committee formed and Chairman elected
- 1946 The first site was traded for the present site due to insufficient water supply
- 1947 First building authorized (Quonset for storage; cost \$1,250) and 70 bed/mattress units at a cost of \$16.75/each were secured from Army Surplus.
- 1948 Architects Buck & Lewis of Emporia were hired, money raised and construction began. Estimate of cost to build and furnish a camp for 150 people was \$75,265.
A well was drilled and an 8200 gallon tank to be installed in sections was ordered.
- 1949 Construction completed: two bath houses, six cabins, dining hall/kitchen, two pump houses, light plant house, ball diamond. Tables, chairs and kitchen equipment were purchased.
First caretaker, Eugene Woolverton was hired; compensation was \$50 per week plus meals and lodging.
The first 4 camps were held--the Board voted that each camp provide its own cook and that \$2.00 per camper per week be charged.
- 1950 Rev. & Mrs. C. R. Flowers were camp managers
First telephone installed
First state Charter completed
- 1951 Electricity was hooked up through REA
2500 camper days reported
Mobile home purchased for camp managers' residence (Mr. & Mrs. Flowers)
- 1952 Flowers Building constructed; Otto Wetzel hired as caretaker
- 1953 "L" Cabin and a bell tower constructed. As of Nov. 14, the camp was debt free and had \$358.56 in the general fund.
- 1954 Trading Post was constructed; Mr. & Mrs. Purl Harris were caretakers
- 1957 Carpenter Chapel was constructed
- 1958 Revised By-laws were approved; Mr. & Mrs. Bob Oliver were caretakers

- 1960 Residence was constructed
- 1962 Pool and new water system were completed
- 1963 The kitchen and dining hall were extensively remodeled
- 1964 Baker Cabin, the first winterized cabin, was built
Mr. & Mrs. John Requa were hired as camp managers
- 1965 Schutte Lodge, swimming pool bath house and a surfaced play area were
constructed
- 1977 Mr. & Mrs. Lee Walz hired as camp managers
- 1982 Kanza Building (Staff House/Office) was constructed
- 1985 First part-time secretary hired Edith Chadwick
- 1988 Barb Richard was hired as part-time secretary/bookkeeper replacing
Edith Chadwick
- 1990 East canyon bath house was replaced; two handicapped accessible bathrooms
were added to the Lodge, and two additional handicapped accessible
cabins were constructed (Tabor and Zion)
Lee Walz became Executive Director
Annette Zorn hired as Associate Director of Christian Education and Camping
- 1993 Keith Schadel was hired as first full-time Development Director
Development office opened in Oakley
- 1994 Full-time Maintenance Manager hired
Brian Hedgecock replaced Annette Zorn as Program Director
Development Office moved to Camp Lakeside
Dan Depperschmidt was hired as full-time Maintenance Director
- 1995 Cain Shop Building constructed
Keith Schadel becomes Program Director
Kay Percival Depperschmidt became full-time Food Service Director
- 1996 Dan Depperschmidt resigned as Maintenance Director
D'Ann Markel was hired as full-time Development Secretary
Marc Mitchell was hired as full-time Development Director.

- 1998 Lee Walz resigned as Camp Director.
Keith Schadel was named Executive Director/Program Director
Barb Richard becomes full-time Office Manager
Jeremy Schadel was hired as full-time Maintenance Director March-Dec.
- 1999 Dale Davis was hired as Maintenance Director
D'Ann Markel became full-time Program Manager.
- 2000 Reed Rolfs became Maintenance Manager in November.
- 2002 The Board of Trustees voted to dissolve the positions of Food Service Director and Program Manager and create one position Hospitality Manager.
Marc Mitchell resigned as Development Director the position was dissolved
Kay Percival and D'Ann markel resigned.
Andrea (Andie) Trembley Strong was hired as Hospitality Manager
Marilyn Fischer was hired as Food Service Manager
- 2003 Andie Trembley Strong becomes Program Manager
- 2006 New fiberglass Water Tank installed
Pool Refurbished
Andie Trembley Strong takes over responsibilities of Program Director from Executive Director Keith Schadel.
- 2007 Digestible-type waste water system installed
- 2008 1,900 square foot addition and remodeling of the existing Dining Hall including; public restrooms, new windows and flooring, was complete by summer season. Dedication of the building was held in December.
Andie Trembley Strong becomes Assistant Director
Barb Richard retired after 20 years in the Lakeside Office in December.
- 2009 Remodeling of Schutte Lodge including new windows, flooring, kitchen counter tops, kitchen cabinet fronts and demolition and replacement of bathrooms in both wings as well as Baker Cabin was complete by May.
Donna Heath was hired as Camp Secretary.